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## Fordyce, Oswald named Athletes of the Year

Kim Fordyce and John Oswald were selected as the female and male athletes of the year by the Cedarville College Yellow Jacket Club committee. Fordyce was a standout on the women's softball team, while Oswald was a key member of the men's track and cross country squads. Both athletes are seniors.

Fordyce was recognized as a team leader on the softball field. The LaVale, Md. native worked every inning of all 25 games behind the plate as the club's starting catcher, and she also provided a spark offensively.

Fordyce led the squad in batting average at .346 and in on base percentage at .448. She did not strikeout in nearly 100 plate appearances. Kim registered 27 hits in 78 at bats which produced 16 runs batted in.

Behind the plate, Fordyce earned the respect of the opposition and thus gained a spot on the All-Western Buckeye Collegiate Conference team. She gunned down 19 of 39 baserunners who attempted to steal on her.

Kim is pursuing a degree in Physical Education and carries a 3.1945 grade point average.

Other women nominated for the award were Shelly Fratus (track), Crystal Patrick (basketball), Lynn Clark (cross country), and Jeri Hastman (volleyball).

Oswald earned NAIA cross country All-America status last fall by placing 25th in the national meet. He was a four-time NCCAA All-American in the sport, and this season was presented the Wheeler Award as the Christian cross country runner of the year.

Oswald was an NCCAA track All-American in 1987 by virtue of his victory in the 10,000 meters. The Three Rivers, Mich. product placed 11th in the event at this year's NAIA Nationals, and last spring was the District 22 champ.

John carries a 3.620 GPA as a Business Administration major. He was named to the NAIA and NCCAA Academic All-America track and cross country teams in each of the past two years.

Other nominees in the men's division were Todd Dowden (wrestling), Eddie Wakefield (basketball), Paul Norman (soccer), Mark Reed (golf), Shane Hardy (baseball), and Jeff Kohl (tennis).

The Yellow Jacket Club "Athletes of the Year" are selected on the basis of athletic ability, athletic honors, leadership, scholarship, and Christian character. Winners receive a \$250 award, a

plaque, plus their names are engraved on a permanent plaque that remains in the Athletic Center Varsity Room.

Past winners include: 1982-83, David Carr and Karen Hobar; 1983-84, Steve

Sagraves and Ann Berger; 1984-85, Noel Hack and Jane Romig; 1985-86, Tom Hill and Jane Romig Brooker; 1986-87, Rob Moore, Todd Dowden and Beth McGillivray.



John Oswald (left) and Kim Fordyce were named athletes of the year for 1987-88 by the Yellow Jacket Club. (Public Relations photo)

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## Callan's Comments

Dr. Don Callan, Athletic Director

An article on sports camps by a sports writer in a large metropolitan newspaper recently caught my attention. While directing his thoughts to parents, he made some interesting observations.

He seemed to be challenging parents regarding what goes on at a camp. His point seemed to be that when parents are spending anywhere from \$75 to \$300 for a week of camp, they should expect a quality program, but should be realistic as to expectations.

Since our own Yellow Jacket Basketball Camps are gaining in enrollment each year and we are continuing to work on improving them, I thought this might be a good place to take a look at camps in general.

It is true one week of camp cannot improve a player dramatically, although in many cases in our camp with three games in a day we do see change take place. The impact, however, of such an intense and challenging week can capture the athlete's attention so that he will practice the remainder of the summer months.

At our camps, we also give the camper drills for improvement when at home. The Bible study and citizenship sessions is another plus for our camps.

We use outstanding young men, video tapes, and coaches to instruct the campers. The staff does this by the spoken word as well as by example

which is expressed in the manner they coach, play, and interact with the campers.

We also have evening social times where the campers are given pizza and ice cream at no cost to them. These have been very popular times as any parent can imagine. The social gains can also be rewarding as campers are housed in college facilities under good supervision, plus they have access to our college food service which features an all-you-can-eat format.

In addition to three games a day competition, we also have serious instruction in the fundamentals of the game. We have station drills each day to work on dribbling, passing, shooting, and defense. A group of seven to eight players are assigned to a coach who works with them on team concepts that are essential to the game.

The most distinctive feature of our camps is the desire to build into the lives of the campers physically, socially, and spiritually. While we expect improvement in athletic skills, we hope the week serves to stimulate the athlete to work hard on his or her own to improve those skills. Likewise, we trust that the stimulation of interaction with campers and staff causes a hunger and thirst for righteousness, and that the life of the individual is impacted and they will in fact climb to new heights spiritually.

# Fratus, Strickland pace lady tracksters

It was yet another fine season of women's track for Cedarville coach Elvin King whose team finished no worse than third in any one meet. The Lady Jackets won their fifth straight Western Buckeye Collegiate Conference title, took the Centre College Invitational, plus placed second at Findlay, Heidelberg, and in the NAIA District 22 meet. They finished third in the National Christian College Athletic Association national meet.

Much of the reason for the team success was due to the individual efforts of hurdler Shelly Fratus and all-purpose performer Lynn Strickland. Fratus became only the third female in the school's track history to earn NAIA All-America honors, and both she and Strickland were NCCAA All-Americans.

Fratus' work in the 400 meter intermediate hurdles peaked at the end of the season. She set a school record in winning the event in NAIA District 22 at 63:10 and then bettered that at the national meet at Azusa Pacific University in Los Angeles on May 26-28.

In the NAIA semifinals, Fratus turned in a 62.94 to lower the school mark in winning her heat. She had the exact same time in placing fourth in the finals with the top six being All-American.

"Shelly ran well at the NAIA," said King of the senior performer. "She was running her best races of the season then and we're proud of what she was able to accomplish. She is an exceptional student-athlete."



SHELLY FRATUS

Fratus' fourth-place finish is higher than either of the other two previous Lady Jacket NAIA outdoor track All-Americans. Jane Brooker finished fifth in the 800 meters in both 1985 and 1986, while Esther Mahr was sixth in the 800 in '85. Fratus, who carries a superb 3.95 grade point average in Biology, was also tabbed an NAIA Scholar-Athlete.

At the NCCAA Nationals on May 7 in Huntington, Ind., Fratus won the hurdles in 64.59 for All-America honors. But, it was Strickland who took center stage in this meet. She set school and meet records in winning the high jump at 5-feet 8-inches and also captured the 100 meter dash in 12.69 seconds. Strickland, a junior who also starts on the basketball team, was second in the 200.

The 400 meter relay squad burned up the track this spring winning five times and setting meet records on three occasions. Jody Eckert, Reba James, Strickland, and Fratus won the event at the NCCAA in a record time of 49.32 seconds edging second-place Malone by 1/100th of a second. The foursome also broke meet records at Findlay and Heidelberg.

Strickland won three events, setting meet records in each in the process, earlier in the season at the Findlay Invitational. She captured four events at the Centre College meet in Kentucky.

"Lynn is a fine athlete," King remarked. "I expect her to show a lot of improvement for next year and I think she could do significantly well at the NAIA." Strickland placed 11th in the high jump this year and also competed in the 200 meters.

Cedarville breezed to an easy triumph in the WBCC meet. The Jackets won 12 of the 17 events led by Strickland with four wins and Laura Whaley with three. Whaley set a new meet record in the triple jump, and Fratus broke the record in the 400 meter hurdles.

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## Jeremiah tabbed PCAA Coach of the Year, wins 300th

Dr. Maryalyce Jeremiah, a 1965 graduate of Cedarville College, was named the Pacific Coast Athletic Association's women's basketball "Coach of the Year" for 1987-88 after leading California State University at Fullerton to an 18-11 record. The Titans placed third in the PCAA, next year to be known as the Big West, after being pre-season picked to finish seventh in the ten-team league.

Jeremiah achieved a new milestone during the course of the season with her 300th career victory. It occurred on Feb. 13 in CSUF's 74-56 win over San Jose State.

Jeremiah has a 304-188 career coaching record in stops at four separate schools. She was 104-88 in nine seasons at her alma mater, 69-5 at the University of Dayton, 90-63 at Indiana

University, and 41-44 in three seasons at CSUF.

The PCAA honor marks the second time that Jeremiah has been so recognized by a major college conference. She was the Big Ten "Coach of the Year" in 1983 while at I.U.

Jeremiah is one of 11 people enshrined in the Cedarville College Athletic Hall of Fame. She was inducted as one of four charter members in 1984.

Former Cedarville College women's volleyball, basketball, and softball coach Dr. June Kearney is Jeremiah's assistant at CSUF. She won better than 200 volleyball matches in her 20 years of leading the Lady Jacket spikers. Ironically, Kearney was Jeremiah's coach while the latter was a student at Cedarville.

# Jackets rebuild, finish 12-22 on diamond

It was a season dedicated to rebuilding for Cedarville College baseball coach Dan Coomes. He took a realistic approach prior to the start of this spring's 12-22 campaign and simply hopes the Yellow Jackets can learn from the experience.

"We knew going into the season that we had some question marks in several areas," Coomes said. "I felt like a .500 record would be a goal to shoot at for this team and we had a chance to do that. I thought we lost some games we shouldn't have."

Cedarville hovered around that .500 mark for half of the schedule. The Jackets were 5-5 on March 30 and 10-12 three weeks later. But they lost eight of their last nine and ten of the final 12 to finish ten games under.

Cedarville struggled at the plate, batting only .255 to their opponents' .311, but oh, those one-run decisions. Of the last seven games decided by a single tally this season the Jackets lost them all.

"You need some breaks to win close ball games and we didn't make any for ourselves," responded Coomes. "Steady defense and timely hitting are two areas in which we needed to be a little more consistent in order to be successful."

Sophomore Shane Hardy paced the squad in a number of offensive categories. He batted a team-high .324 with seven doubles and 21 runs batted in. He had a .471 slugging percentage with

23 walks and was a perfect eight for eight in stolen bases.

The only other .300-plus hitter was senior Ken Horton at .318. He topped the club in runs scored with 22 and was 11 of 13 in the stolen base department.

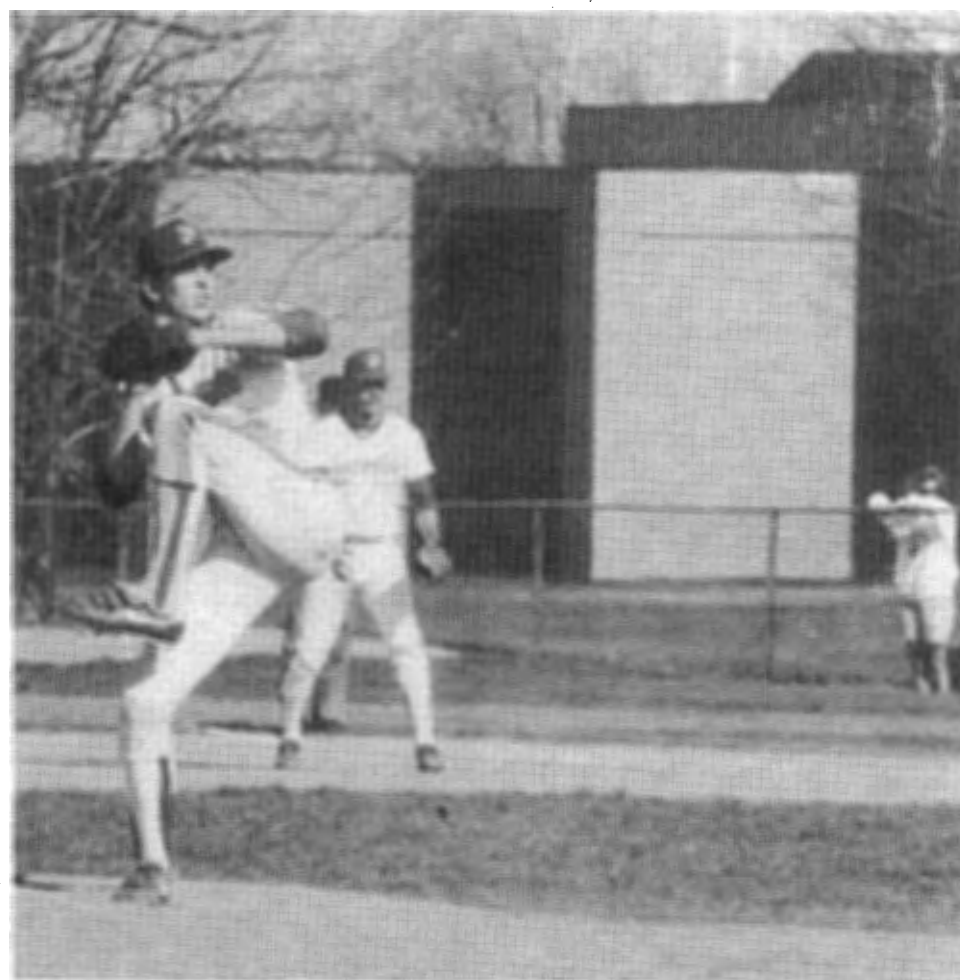
Sophomore Gary Dunkworth batted .293. He started every game at shortstop and played a part in 18 of the team's 24 double plays turned on defense.

A pair of brothers led the pitching staff which finished with a team earned run average of 5.29. Freshman Tim Erlandson and older brother Dan ranked one-two in ERA.

Dan, a senior, appeared in 13 games with 11 starts and a team leading six complete games. He posted a 3-7 record to go with a 3.60 ERA. In 70 innings worked, Erlandson struck out 55 and walked 30, and again, deserved a better fate.

"I've never seen a player pitch so well in his four years at Cedarville and have the misfortune that Dan has had on the mound," Coomes explained. "Our offense never seemed to support him. In spite of that, Dan did a super job for us during his career and we'll miss his consistency." The Jackets were shutout in two of Erlandson's losses while two of his other defeats were by one run.

Younger brother Tim also appeared in 13 games, 11 as a reliever. In 27-plus innings, he had a 1-1 record with a 2.96 ERA.



Senior righthander Dan Erlandson was the main man once again for the

Yellow Jacket pitching staff. (Photo by Mark Womack)

## Women's tennis district runner-up, ends 6-6

The Cedarville College women's tennis squad broke even on the season and then wrapped up the schedule with a second-place showing at the NAIA District 22 tournament. Three of Coach Pam Diehl's players earned spots on the all-district team.

The Lady Jackets were in the hunt for the district title until the final day of the three-day event held at Bluffton College. However, some big matches on day two went by the wayside and Cedarville finished three points behind champion Malone.

"The positive thing about the tournament is that we at least gave ourselves a chance to win it," Diehl remarked afterwards. "The gals played well. Our entire schedule was a difficult one because we faced some extremely talented competition. We have every reason to be optimistic next spring."

The doubles team of Roge Lash and Stefanie Swift was seeded second in the district tournament. The duo made it to the championship match prior to losing to the top-seeded tandem 6-4, 6-2.

Players who reach the quarterfinals of the tournament are considered all-district. Lash and Swift made it in both singles and doubles, while Janell Kelley made the team in singles.

Julie Swift posted the best season

record in singles with a 10-6 mark and sister Stefanie was 9-7. Kathy Fetterman was 8-8, Lash 7-8, and Kelley, a first-year player whose brother John plays on the men's team, was 5-8 in matches mainly in the number one position. Becky Tucker had a 4-8 record.

In doubles, Fetterman and Mary Price were 8-4 while Lash and Stefanie Swift had a 4-3 mark. The Swift sisters were 7-4 prior to a shake-up in the doubles roster.

Cedarville beat Findlay and Bluffton both twice apiece to go along with wins against Capital and Mt. Vernon Nazarene. The Lady Jackets lost a pair of 5-4 decisions to district champ Malone, so the record could have been a winning one.

"Our district in women's tennis is such an even one," said Diehl. "The outcome can be influenced greatly by the draw and by a couple of good players a team may have. All five schools appear to have at least one solid player at the top which makes advancing through the singles tournament a difficult task, especially for a team's lower ranked players. I feel like we can contend for the district championship most every year. Maybe next spring we can get back to winning it."



Third baseman Todd Clemens (foreground) and shortstop Gary Dankworth await the next pitch in a game

versus Walsh. (Photo by Mark Womack)



# Fillinger, Oswald go distance in men's track

Cedarville's men's track unit was competitive in every outing this spring. The Yellow Jackets won the seven-team Centre College Invitational in Kentucky to go with runner-up finishes at both Findlay and in the Mid-Ohio Conference meet. They were third at Heidelberg, fourth in NAIA District 22, and seventh out of 20 schools in the NCCAA national meet.

"We were satisfied in that we were near the top of every meet," Coach Elvin King said in summary. "We didn't quite have the depth we would normally like to have, but I felt coming into the season that we would get some good individual efforts and we did."

Second-year man Eric Fillinger and senior John Oswald both performed consistently well in the 10,000 meters. The pair represented the men's team at the NAIA Nationals in Los Angeles on May 26 with Fillinger placing 8th in 31:04.60 and Oswald finishing 11th at 31:39.56. John was later named an NAIA Scholar-Athlete in track for the second straight year.

"It was good to see Eric hang in there and get the one point for us," remarked King, in reference to the fact that the top eight places are scored. "The race had a quick pace from the start and both Eric and John tried to stay near the lead. They probably should have laid back, but they ran a solid race considering the pace."

Fillinger won the 10,000 at the NCCAA Nationals in 31:28.13 with Oswald coming in third. Fillinger later went on to take the 5,000 at 14:45.58 with Oswald fifth. Eric grabbed the lone victories in the meet for the Jackets, but Loren Tucker took third in the 400 meters and Steve Seymour was fifth in the shot put.



ERIC FILLINGER

Fillinger won the 10,000 in three other meets including the Duke University Spring Invitational on April 1 in 31:04.86. Again, Oswald placed second. Eric set a meet record of 30:56.62 in the event at Heidelberg, and earlier tied for first with teammate J.P. Dawes at Findlay.

Tucker and Seymour joined Yellow Jacket Stan Charlton as the squad's only winners in the Mid-Ohio Confer-

ence meet at Cedarville on April 30. Tucker won the 400 meters in 50.5 seconds, Seymour took the shot put in 44-feet 4-inches, and Charlton had the best leap in the triple jump at 42-feet 9-

inches.

Tucker was Cedarville's lone victor in the NAIA District 22 meet at Rio Grande. His winning time in the 400 meters was 49.94 seconds.

## Netters 17th at NAIA Nationals, finish 38-2

Cedarville's men's tennis team finished in the top 20 at the NAIA national tournament for the second year in a row and the third time in the past four years. The Yellow Jackets totalled 8 points to place 17th in the 52-team field. Coach Murray Murdoch's team placed 12th last year and 13th in 1984.

"We were generally satisfied with our showing in Kansas City," remarked Murdoch in summary. "However, we lost three tough three-set matches which could have gone either way. The NAIA tournament is getting more difficult and our players are beginning to realize why we need to face competition which is even more challenging than what we have now. It will make them tougher mentally, and you need that at the national level."

The NAIA tournament field is deeper now that all top 20 teams are invited to the big event whether they win their district or not. Cedarville had to go that route. The 16th ranked Yellow Jackets came up short to District 22 champ Malone College, but they received an at-large berth anyway.

Cedarville scored four points in singles, thanks to Dino Tsibouris making it into the third round. The Gahanna, Oh. native won a pair of straight-set matches prior to losing in two sets to 11th-seeded Michael Malvebo of Flagler, Fla. 6-2, 6-3.

Jeff Kohl, the Jackets' top player, beat Rick Walsh of Baker, Kan. 6-4, 6-1 in the opening round. LaMar May of Texas-Tyler eliminated Kohl 6-7, 6-3, 6-4.

The other first-round victor was Steve Brumbaugh who bested Brad Oliver of Drury, Mo. 6-1, 6-1. He was also knocked out in three sets in round two by David Thompson of Pacific Lutheran, Wash. 4-6, 7-5, 6-3.

Bruce Taranger, Steve Lesko, and Scott Poling each lost straight-set matches in the opening round.

All three Yellow Jackets doubles teams won their opening matches in two sets. Kohl-Taranger, Lesko-Tsibouris, and Brumbaugh-Poling moved to round two, but only Kohl and Taranger advanced further. They defeated Matt Strom and Evan Merino of Kearney State, Neb. 2-6, 6-1, 6-4. The ninth-seeded duo of Duane Johnson and Dominic Moersted of Elon, N.C. eliminated the Cedarville tandem 7-6, 3-6, 6-3.

The Yellow Jackets put together



Dino Tsibouris had the second-best singles winning percentage at 30-7 for the men's tennis team this season. (Public Relations photo)

another fine season by posting a 38-2 record. Included in those string of wins was Murdoch's 400th career victory which occurred at Findlay. The only opponents to solve Cedarville were Eastern Kentucky and Malone.

Cedarville posted 14 shutouts on the year and had an 8-1 record versus NCAA Division I schools. Included were wins over Cincinnati, Dayton, and Wright State.

Murdoch fielded a young team once again with this year's top six being all sophomores. Singles records from top to bottom were Jeff Kohl (21-11), Bruce Taranger (25-7), Steve Brumbaugh (31-6), Steve Lesko (29-3), Dino Tsibouris (30-7), and Scott Poling (22-6). Sophomore John Kelley was 13-0 and rookie P.J. Kitchen was 16-2 during occasional varsity action.

In doubles, Kohl and Taranger posted a 20-6 record. Lesko and Tsibouris were 24-5, while Brumbaugh and Poling were 28-3.



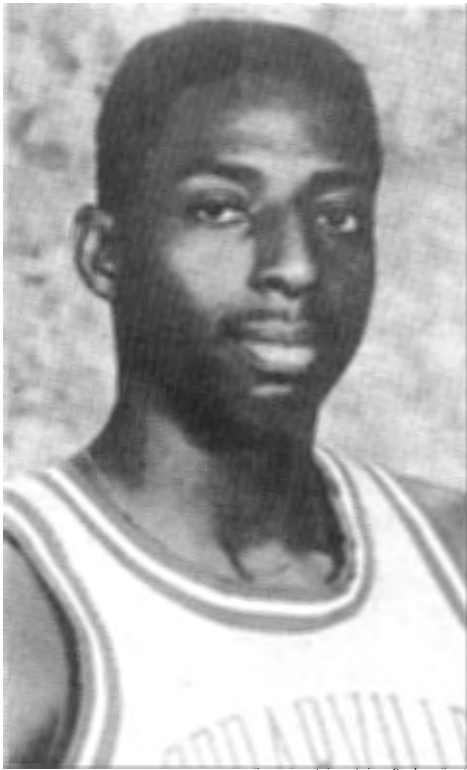
Loren Tucker (left) gets out of the blocks en route to winning the 400 meter dash in the Mid-Ohio Conference meet at Cedarville. (Photo by Mark Womack)

ence meet at Cedarville. (Photo by Mark Womack)

# Cagers NCCAA runner-up, Ewing MVP

Cedarville College made its first-ever appearance at the National Christian College Athletic Association national men's basketball tournament a successful one by placing second in the eight-team field. Junior forward Tony Ewing was named the tourney MVP after leading the Yellow Jackets in victories over Bartlesville Wesleyan, Okla. and Lee, Tenn., as well as in the 80-79 final game loss to host Tennessee Temple University. The tourney was played on March 17-19 in Chattanooga, Tenn.

"We are pleased with our showing in the NCCAA and with our season even though the way we lost the championship game was disappointing," remarked Cedarville coach Don Callan,



TONY EWING

whose team closed the campaign at 23-12. "Our players realized that there is some good basketball played at the NCCAA national tournament. I'm sure it will give us the desire to want to return."

It looked like Cedarville, seeded second, had the NCCAA title in hand when Ewing tipped in a rebound to give the Jackets a 79-71 lead with 1:38 to play in the championship tilt. But while two of Cedarville's best free throw shooters, Gary Harrison and Chris Reese, both missed the front end of one-and-ones in the final 70 seconds, Tennessee Temple rallied with three unanswered three-pointers.

The game-winner came with five seconds left and it was the Crusaders' first lead since 17 minutes left in the game. TTU, seeded fourth, got to the final game by upsetting top-ranked Biola, Cal. the night before.

Ewing was a dominant force in the tournament scoring 74 points and hauling in 35 rebounds. He opened with 26 points and 13 boards in the 96-86 win over Bartlesville; had 31 points, 10 rebounds, three assists and two steals in the 90-87 victory over Lee; and then wrapped up the tourney with 17 points, 12 rebounds, four assists and four steals versus TTU.

Joining Ewing on the all-tournament team was teammate Don Simerly. The 6-9 senior scored 21 points in the final game, and registered 50 points and 16 rebounds in all.

Cedarville qualified for the NCCAA Nationals by first beating Mt. Vernon Nazarene in the District III final 83-68. The Jackets went the NCCAA route after playing in the NAIA District 22 playoffs. Cedarville beat Findlay 92-71 before losing 97-95 at Rio Grande in the semifinals.

Before the tournament started, Ewing was named to the ten-player NCCAA All-America first team. The 6-4 Jeffersonville, Ind. native led Cedar-

ville this season with averages of 18.8 points and 7.9 rebounds per game. He shot .557 from the floor and .819 from the free throw line, plus registered more than 40 dunks in 31 games played.

Cedarville had four players finish the season with more than 1,000 career

points. Senior guard Mike Freeman closed out his career with 1,558 points to rank sixth on the Yellow Jackets' all-time scoring list. Others to reach the milestone and their ranking were junior Chris Reese (1,354; 11th), Simerly (1,129; 21st), and Ewing (1,091; 23rd)



Senior pitcher Kristi Culp unloads another fast ball. (Photo by Mark Womack)

## Softball season ends with a bang

The bats were very much alive when the Lady Jackets wrapped up their 1988 softball campaign at 14-11. Cedarville outscored the opposition 42-2 in its final three outings to close the season with a flourish.

Following a 3-2 setback in the first game of a doubleheader at Wittenberg on May 3, Coach Bob Fires' club had dropped three straight and was outscored 25-4 in the process. Cedarville then decided to turn the tables.

First-year pitcher Chris Jackson went to the mound and hurled a 12-0 shutout against the Tigers in game two. She followed that with a two-hitter by the same score in the opener of a twinbill at Urbana on May 5. Senior righthander Kristi Culp finished the season with an easy 18-2 romp in game two.

"It's always encouraging when you can finish your season playing well," remarked Fires. "We were playing with confidence both offensively and defensively."

"Our pitchers were able to finish the season on a good note. Chris Jackson was quite impressive in her last three outings which was good to see because we expect her to be our top pitcher next season. Of course, Kristi was the

mainstay on the mound the entire season and always pitched consistently well."

Culp hurled more than 136 innings this season with an 11-9 record and 2.36 earned run average. She struck out 40 and walked 67.

Jackson did not allow a run in her final 18 innings of work. She pitched better than 29 innings in all with a 3-2 record and 3.82 ERA. She fanned 14 and walked 12.

On the offensive side, the Jackets batted .256 as a team led by senior catcher Kim Fordyce at .346. The All-Western Buckeye Collegiate Conference selection had four game-winning runs batted in and a .488 on base percentage. She drew 15 walks in 96 plate appearances and did not strike out.

The only other .300-plus hitter was junior shortstop Chris Friesen who batted .329. Also an All-WBCC pick, she topped the club in rbi's with 26 and in slugging percentage at .463. Friesen's 9 doubles led the league.

Junior Rebecca Clifford hit .298 and scored a team-high 23 runs. She stole 14 of 15 bases and also registered four assists from her centerfield position.



All-WBCC performer Chris Friesen provided power at the plate for the

Lady Jackets in 1988. (Photo by Mark Womack)

# SCOREBOARD

### Women's Tennis

Cedarville	4	5	MALONE
Cedarville	0	9	at Wright State
Cedarville	8	1	at Findlay
Cedarville	9	0	at Mt. Vernon Naz.
Cedarville	2	7	WITTENBERG
Cedarville	8	1	at Bluffton
Cedarville	6	3	at Capital

### Transylvania Invitational

Transylvania	21
Wright State	12.5
West Virginia Wesleyan	10
Centre	7
Northern Kentucky	7
Cedarville	5.5

Cedarville	7	2	FINDLAY
Cedarville	3	6	at Walsh
Cedarville	4	5	at Malone
Cedarville	2	7	WRIGHT STATE
Cedarville	8	1	BLUFFTON

### NAIA District 22 at Bluffton

Malone	15
Cedarville	12
Walsh	11
Bluffton	5
Findlay	3

Record: 6-6

### Men's Tennis

Cedarville	9	0	at Taylor
Cedarville	9	0	at Anderson
Cedarville	8	1	GRACE

### Thomas More Invitational

Cedarville	16		
Xavier	6.5		
Thomas More	5.5		
N. Kentucky	3.5		
Cedarville	7	2	N. Kentucky (at Richmond, Ky.)
Cedarville	9	0	Morehead State (at Richmond, Ky.)
Cedarville	3	6	at Eastern Kent.
Cedarville	5	4	KENYON

### Cedarville Indoor Invitational

Cedarville			18
Wright State			9
Otterbein			8
Earlham			2
Cedarville	6	3	at Boca Raton
Cedarville	9	0	at St. Thomas
Cedarville	7	2	at Findlay
Cedarville	9	0	N. KENTUCKY
Cedarville	5	0	DAYTON
Cedarville	5	3	DENISON
Cedarville	9	0	at Walsh
Cedarville	2	7	at Malone
Cedarville	9	0	at Earlham
Cedarville	8	1	at N. Kentucky
Cedarville	8	1	at Dayton

### Transylvania Invitational

Cedarville	21.5		
Carson-Newman	17		
Charleston	11		
Thomas More	8.5		
Morehead St.	7.5		
Transylvania	5		
Wright State	5		
Georgetown	1		
Cedarville	9	0	OTTERBEIN
Cedarville	9	0	MT. VERNON
			NAZARENE
Cedarville	9	0	IUPUI-INDIANAP.
			(default)
Cedarville	9	0	at Wittenberg
Cedarville	9	0	TRANSYLVANIA
Cedarville	8	1	at Bluffton
Cedarville	6	3	CINCINNATI
Cedarville	8	1	WRIGHT STATE
Cedarville	8	0	THOMAS MORE

### NAIA District 22 at Bluffton

Malone	29
Cedarville	25
Findlay	7
Walsh	7
Bluffton	5
Mt. Vernon Naz.	2

### NAIA Nationals

17th out of 52

Record: 38-2

### Men's Track

Findlay Invitational	2nd out of 8
Heidelberg Inv.	3rd out of 14
Centre Invitational	1st out of 7
Mid-Ohio Conference	2nd out of 5
NCCAA Nationals	7th out of 20
NAIA District 22	4th out of 9

### Women's Track

Findlay Invitational	2nd out of 8
Heidelberg Inv.	2nd out of 15
Centre Invitational	1st out of 4
West. Buck. Coll. Conf.	1st out of 5
NCCAA Nationals	3rd out of 16
NAIA District 22	2nd out of 10

### Women's Softball

Cedarville	6	1	Mount St. Joseph
Cedarville	12	6	Mount St. Joseph
Cedarville	3	7	Ohio Dominican
Cedarville	0	9	Ohio Dominican
Cedarville	1	2	Mt. Vernon Nazarene
Cedarville	0	6	Mt. Vernon Nazarene
Cedarville	6	4	Bluffton
Cedarville	6	1	Bluffton
Cedarville	4	0	Tiffin
Cedarville	4	2	Tiffin
Cedarville	4	9	Findlay
Cedarville	3	6	Findlay
Cedarville	7	9	Wilmington
Cedarville	2	9	Wilmington
Cedarville	6	1	Capital
Cedarville	2	1	Capital
Cedarville	5	4	Defiance
Cedarville	9	3	Defiance
Cedarville	4	3	Tiffin
Cedarville	0	16	Findlay
Cedarville	2	6	Defiance
Cedarville	2	3	Wittenberg
Cedarville	12	0	Wittenberg
Cedarville	12	0	Urbana
Cedarville	18	2	Urbana

Record: 14-11

### Baseball

Cedarville	7	6	Warner Southern
Cedarville	9	5	Framingham State
Cedarville	1	0	Babson
Cedarville	3	4	Babson
Cedarville	3	7	Wilmington
Cedarville	0	6	Wilmington
Cedarville	8	12	Bluffton
Cedarville	0	4	Bluffton
Cedarville	2	0	Earlham
Cedarville	8	3	Earlham
Cedarville	0	7	Wittenberg
Cedarville	1	2	Wittenberg
Cedarville	3	1	Rio Grande
Cedarville	2	3	Rio Grande
Cedarville	10	7	Tiffin
Cedarville	6	7	Tiffin
Cedarville	4	14	Central State
Cedarville	12	7	Central State
Cedarville	1	2	Malone
Cedarville	4	8	Malone
Cedarville	5	2	Urbana
Cedarville	12	10	Urbana
Cedarville	9	15	Ohio Dominican
Cedarville	5	8	Ohio Dominican
Cedarville	6	2	Walsh
Cedarville	7	11	Walsh
Cedarville	2	13	Grace
Cedarville	0	6	Spring Arbor
Cedarville	1	11	Mt. Vernon Naz.
Cedarville	4	5	Mt. Vernon Naz.
Cedarville	4	7	Central State
Cedarville	15	9	Central State
Cedarville	4	5	Wilmington
Cedarville	3	6	Wilmington

Record: 12-22

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# Olympic trials next stop for Brooker

Jane Romig Brooker has been turning long-range goals into short ones ever since she picked up the sport of running five years ago. The 1986 Cedarville College graduate will experience another challenge earlier than expected when she competes in the U.S. Olympic Trials in Indianapolis in July.

Brooker has already met the trials qualifying standard in the 800 meters and she hopes to meet the mark in the 1500 by then. She qualified in both events for the USA/Mobil TAC National Championships in Tampa in June.

"My training is progressing much faster than Scott and I expected," said Jane, referring to her husband/coach. "We thought I might barely make it to the trials and just gain experience along the way, but we were surprised when I qualified so quickly."

Jane made a quick comeback to competitive form after giving birth to the couple's first child, Judson, 15

months ago. Since that time, she has trained under the watchful eye of her husband near their home in Des Moines, Iowa.

Brooker turned in a 2:04.88 in a fourth-place finish at the prestigious Drake Relays 800 meters in late April to barely edge the Olympic qualifying time of 2:05.46. One week later she was at the Jesse Owens Classic in Columbus placing third in the 1500 in 4:19.96 which was shy of the trials qualifying mark of 4:17.05.

Those two performances have helped to make Brooker's name not so unfamiliar. The June issue of "Track & Field News" refers to the 24-year-old as "out of the woodwork" and "Jane who?" However, she would rather keep it that way.

"I'm a darkhorse and that's the way I like it," Brooker explained. "Outside of Cedarville no one knows me so I believe that takes pressure off of myself."

Brooker's story became an amazing one long before now. When she showed up at the Cedarville campus in the fall of 1982, she had never so much as even tried on a running shoe but was seeking a spot on the cheerleading squad. After failing to make it, a classmate convinced her to run track for the fun of it. The rest, as they say, is history.

Jane is a legend at the Baptist college of 1,850 students where she was a four-time NAIA All-American in track, and twice the NAIA indoor 1000 yard champ. In 1986, she was tabbed the outstanding female performer of the indoor meet after running an NAIA national record 2:36.13 in the 1000 that still stands.

Brooker's times continue to drastically go down in her two main events. Her mark in the Drake 800 was five seconds better than her personal best, while her time in the Jesse Owens 1500 was 16 seconds lower than her previous

best. When asked about why she's running so much faster, Jane has taken the reverse psychology approach.

"I don't worry about the times," responds Brooker. "During my recent indoor season I ran against the clock and that put pressure on me mentally. Now I try to run with the leaders and I know my time will be good."

There will be 30-40 athletes at the trials competing for three spots in both the 800 and 1500 meters. While the experience in Indianapolis is certain to be a memorable one, Jane looks at it realistically.

"My goal is to make it to the finals," she said. "Once you're in the finals, it's basically a head game because anybody could finish in the top three."

"I won't be terribly disappointed if I don't make the team because this is my first trip. No matter what happens, I definitely have plans of training for the 1992 Olympics. Right now, this is all exciting for me."

## Kickers look ahead to difficult task

The 1988 soccer season is only a couple of months away for Cedarville College and while Coach John McGillivray expects a competitive team, he also has a challenging schedule lined up. The season has been trimmed to 15 teams, but few, if any, are viewed as easy matches.

The Yellow Jackets open the campaign with a night game on Sept. 13 at Ohio Wesleyan, possibly the best opponent on the schedule. Two other night contests on the road will be at Wilmington and Indiana-Purdue of Indianapolis which are both talented clubs. Other tough matches on foreign turf will come against Tiffin, Walsh, and Wittenberg.

Seven home matches are set highlighted by the Oct. 15 Homecoming game with Siena Heights. Malone College will visit as will Denison

University, always a strong opponent.

McGillivray has several key members from last year's 11-9-1 unit returning. Paul Norman will come back for his senior season after effectively changing from the front line to the back last fall. He was tabbed second team NAIA All-American by the National Soccer Coaches Association of America, as well as NCCAA second team for the second straight year. Norman was also first team All-Mideast, All-Ohio, NAIA District 22, NCCAA District III, and Mid-Ohio Conference.

Roger Swigart returns for his junior year. The aggressive midfielder was named first team All-MOC and NCCAA District III; second team NAIA District 22 and All-Mideast; and third team All-Ohio.



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